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METHOD FOR PRODUCING LIGHT-GUIDING LED

BODIES IN TWO SPATIALLY AND TEMPORALLY

SEPARATE STEPS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the present application, please consider the following.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the specification begin on Page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on

Page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 5 of this paper.